

Many groups excluded

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Runciman's earlier refusal to meet with the association, said that it was indicative of an attitude the Conservative government has adopted.

"The legitimate concerns of the Black community have no value for this government," he said. "They have labelled Blacks a special interest and, as such, deserving of little governmental attention."

Meanwhile, the Law Union of Ontario says it's

concerned about the discussion process being used by the government as it moves to amend the Police Services Act.

"Conspicuously excluded from the process are many groups or individuals involved in the campaigns to implement reforms that would en-

sure civilian control of the police," said Law Union spokesman, Bob Kellerman.